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METHOD OF MANUFACTURING ORGANIC EL ELEMENT,

ORGANIC EL ELEMENT, AND ORGANIC EL DISPLAY DEVICE

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In reply to the January 15, 2003 Office Action, the period for response being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claims 1, 13, 19, 25, 26, 30-32, 36 and 37 as follows:

(Thrice Amended) A method of manufacturing an organic EL device, 1. comprising:

forming first electrodes on or above a substrate;

forming at least one luminescent layer having a certain color and made of an organic compound on or above first electrodes by an ink-jet method; and

forming a second electrode opposing the first electrodes,

the formation of said at least one luminescent layer by means of the ink-jet method being performed by discharging a luminescent material composition from a nozzle toward the substrate and onto an underlying layer, the underlying layer constituting a different

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